

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. You've heard the closing. The question is the adoption of the McFarland amendment to LB 88. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted?

SENATOR MCFARLAND: To expedite things, maybe we could just have a call in...a call of the house and a roll call votes...or call in votes accepted.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Request for a call of the house. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 1 nay to go under call.

SPEAKER BARRETT: House is under call. Members, please return to your seats and record your presence. Senators Campbell, Ashford, the house is under call. Senators Johanns and Higgins, record your presence. Senator Weihsing, please record your presence. Senator Peterson. Members, please return to your seats for a roll call. Proceed with the roll call on the McFarland amendment.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 1231 of the Journal.)
26 ayes, 14 nays, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The amendment is adopted. Anything further?

CLERK: Nothing further.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Back to the bill. Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: (Response inaudible.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. On the advancement of the bill, Senator Hall, followed by Senator Miller.

SENATOR HALL: Mr. President and members, I just rise, as would be expected, to oppose the advancement of LB 88. I think that the lines are clearly drawn, that there are those who support the concept, there are those that oppose it. I happen to be on the side that is in opposition to the concept, and I would hope that the majority of the body would be as well. I'm not going to take a lot of time. But it is an issue that I hope we have considered long and hard in addition to the amendments that we've looked at. There are things that I think should have, for